

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please find below a listing of all pending claims. The statuses of the claims are set forth in parentheses. For those currently amended claims, underlined emphasis indicates insertions and ~~strike through~~ font (and/or double-brackets) indicates deletions.

1. (currently amended) An information registration device, comprising:
a display unit displaying a screen including a common registration area for registering a plurality of types of displayed information which, ~~without the common registration area,~~ would be registered in a different way by a tool corresponding to each type of information as unclassified information; and
a registration unit registering specified information in a storage unit as the unclassified information when a user performs a drag-and-drop operation of specifying arbitrary information on the screen and moving the information in the registration area.

2. (original) The information registration device according to claim 1, further comprising
an access unit accessing the plurality of types of information registered as the unclassified information in timing different from a process of said registration unit, wherein

said display unit displays a reading screen of the unclassified information, and the access unit classifies the unclassified information for each category, according to a user's instruction.

3. (previously presented) The information registration device according to claim 1, wherein

the plurality of types of displayed information include a network address or a text of information in a digital network, a file in a local disk, or an icon on the screen.

4. (currently amended) A computer-readable storage medium on which is recorded a program for enabling a computer to execute a process, the process comprising:

displaying a screen including a common registration area for registering a plurality of types of displayed information which, ~~without the common registration area,~~ would be registered in a different way by a tool corresponding to each type of information as unclassified information; and

registering specified information in a storage unit as the unclassified information when a user performs a drag-and-drop operation of specifying arbitrary information on the screen and moving the information in the registration area.

5. (currently amended) The storage medium according to claim 4~~6~~,
wherein

the computer registers screen objects including a network address or a text of
information in a digital network, a file in a local disk, or an icon on the screen as the
unclassified information.

6. (currently amended) The storage medium according to claim 4,
wherein

when the ~~specified-moved~~ information coincides with already registered
information, the computer accepts the ~~specified-moved~~ information by handling the
already registered information as an entity for presenting rank of an unclassified
information recommendation or a registration tendency of the ~~specified-moved~~
information, and outputs no inquiry message to the user.

7. (currently amended) The storage medium according to claim 4,
wherein

even when the ~~specified-moved~~ information could not be registered, the
computer performs no error indication accompanying an interaction with the user.

8. (previously-presented) The storage medium according to claim 4, the
process further comprising:

accessing the plurality of types of information registered as the unclassified information in timing different from the registering the specified information;

displaying a reading screen of the unclassified information arrayed in order of registration time; and

classifying the unclassified information for each category, according to a user's instruction.

9. (currently amended) A computer-readable storage medium on which is recorded a program for enabling a computer to execute a process, the process comprising:

storing arbitrary information in a first storage unit storing information classified for each category, when a user performs an operation of specifying a category and registering the information; and

storing specified information in a second storage unit collectively storing unclassified information not classified for each category when a user performs a drag-and-drop operation of specifying arbitrary information and moving the information in a common registration area for registering a plurality of types of different information as the unclassified information; and

wherein, ~~without the common registration area,~~ said plurality of types of different information would be registered in a different way by a tool corresponding to each type of information.

10. (original) The storage medium according to claim 9, the process further comprising:

evaluating the plurality of types of information registered as the unclassified information in the second storage unit according to an evaluation criterion based on a behavior history of each user; and

selecting information suitable for a specific user from the evaluated unclassified information and providing the information.

11. (cancelled).